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FOUNDERS AND HOMECOMING DAY

24TH ANNUAL OBSERVANCE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1956

THE DAY'S SCHEDULE

9:45 a.m. — Founders Day Service (Samuel Tyndale Wilson Chapel)

12:00 - 1:30 p.m. — Alumni Luncheon

2:30 - 4:30 p.m. — Alumni Open House in Dining Hall

3:00 p.m. — Homecoming Parade

5:30 - 7:30 p.m. — Alumni Barbecue on baseball field

8:00 p.m. — Homecoming Game with Emory and Henry

1957 COMMENCEMENT

May 18, Saturday — Alumni Day

May 19, Sunday — Baccalaureate Day

May 22, Wednesday — Commencement Day

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1956-1957

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Recording Secretary.....Miss Winifred Painter, '15

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West Coast, Rev. Lester Bond, '15, San Diego, California.

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The Cover — Dr. Edwin R. Hunter, dear to the hearts of Maryville College alumni everywhere, chats informally with a group of new students whose parents attended College on the Hill in years past. Left to right, first row: Robb Gwaltney (Rev. W. Malcolm Gwaltney, '34, Miriam King Gwaltney, ex '37); Betty Ann Gross (Martha McSpadden Gross, '44); second row: Gail and Janet Wathen (Dr. Charles A. Wathen, '24, Blanche Moore Wathen, '24); Gail Bradley (Gladys Coulter Bradley, '34); Miriam Briggs (Donald Briggs, '33, Ruth Farlee Briggs, ex '34); top row: Hugh Clark (Frank P. Clark, ex '37, Mary Wilson Clark, ex '37); Claire Howell (James K. Howell, '37, Phyllis Staples, ex '39); Gwen DeLozier, (Hugh DeLozier, ex '29, S. Harriet Brown DeLozier, ex '30); Helen Rankin (Lynn B. Rankin, '31).

Top: Edwin A. Shelley, president of the Maryville College Alumni Association, was graduated in 1931. His major field of study was political and social science. He was a member of the Glee Club for three years, sang in the Vesper Choir, was president of Athenian in his senior year, class president in his junior year, and served as assistant in English and later in Physics.

After graduation, he taught and coached for two years in high school, then went into personnel work with TVA. With the exception of two years in the Navy as assistant to the Director of Civilian Personnel, 6th Naval District, Charleston, South Carolina, Ed has been with the TVA continuously since 1933. As we go to press, word comes of his promotion to the position of Director of Personnel for TVA. He married Elizabeth Cannon, a classmate, in 1932. Ed and Elizabeth have three children, a son and two daughters.

Dear Maryville College Alumni:

Attendance at Homecoming has been increasing every year. This year we think will be the greatest ever. One criticism many of us have heard, however, has been that those of us who live nearby show up only for the barbecue and football game. You will note that this year's program, which appears elsewhere in the bulletin, has been deliberately arranged to encourage everyone to spend the major part of the day on the campus. We hope you can be with us for a leisurely day of renewing old acquaintances and bringing yourself up to date on the current program of the College.

Since I am not a resident of Maryville I can remind you that year after year local alumni plan and do the work necessary for a successful Homecoming celebration. The rest of us are inclined to take it for granted. This year let's remember to express our appreciation when we see them on October 13. Those of you who cannot be with us may notice that your "ears are burning" for we'll be talking about you and wishing you were with us.

With best wishes,
EDWIN A. SHELLEY
President of Alumni Association

Bottom left: Roy D. Crawford, vice president of the Maryville College Alumni Association, was a graduate in the class of 1943. He was a political science major. While in school, he was president of the YMCA in his senior year, treasurer of his class in his sophomore year, a member of the "Echo" business staff, business manager of the M-Book in his sophomore year, "Chilhowean" business manager in his junior year, and was selected for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

After graduation, Roy served with the Air Corps in the European Theatre from 1943 to 1946. He then entered the University of Tennessee Law School and was graduated in 1948. In the same year he was admitted to the bar and has practiced law since then except for the years 1950-52 when he was serving with the Second Division Artillery, in Korea. He married Dorothy Jobes in 1948. They have two children, a son and a daughter.

Bottom right: Miss Winifred L. Painter has served faithfully for the past fifteen years as recording secretary of the Alumni Association. A graduate of the College in 1915, she was the first secretary of New Providence Presbyterian Church. She was appointed to the post in 1926 and served continuously on the church staff in various capacities until June, 1956, when she retired. She was vice president of Bainonian and also served as secretary.

President Lloyd's Page

To Maryville College Alumni:

1. *The 138th Year* opened officially on September 4, with classes meeting first on the 7th. While most of us do not carry in mind such a figure as "138th," it is a good thing occasionally to trace the College's age back to 1819 (which we do carry in mind). It gives us a sense of stability. Of all the 1855 colleges and universities listed by the U. S. Office of Education only about fifty are older than Maryville College. Thus we are older than 97% of American institutions. This does not guarantee high quality in the 138th year, but it does indicate solid foundations and rich heritage. Both of these assets, when combined with a contemporary sense of alertness, vision, and progress, can produce a quality of high order.

2. *The Directors, Faculty, and Staff* are the most determinative forces in creating high quality in both the atmosphere and results of a college. Maryville has thirty-six Directors, sixty faculty, and about forty salaried staff. There are this year two new Directors, ten new teachers, two new librarians, and two other new members of the staff. The two new Directors, elected by the Synod of Mid-South in June, are both Maryville graduates who have done extensive advanced study. One is a minister, Rev. Harold Gordon Harold, Ph.D., D.D., '27, of Memphis, and the other is Mr. Edwin J. Best, '36, of Maryville, an official with T.V.A. The fourteen new faculty and staff members are well qualified and appear to be starting well.

3. *Dr. Edwin Ray Hunter* asked last spring that, beginning with the new college year, he be relieved of the duties of Dean of Curriculum and be permitted to take a full teaching load in English. For twenty-five years he has filled the two positions (carrying usually two thirds or three fourths of a teaching schedule), but he now feels that he should no longer undertake the combined duties. His service as a Dean has been a distinguished one, as has been and is his service as Professor. He is now teaching a full schedule of English courses and will continue as chairman of the Faculty Committee on Special Studies, one of the significant improvements he led in establishing, and likewise in other areas of the College's life and work we shall continue to have the benefit of his versatile abilities. Dr. Frank D. McClelland, Dean of Students, and Miss Viola Lightfoot, Assistant to the Dean of Students, are at the present time assuming many of the responsibilities relinquished by Dr. Hunter, and a new Faculty Committee on Curriculum, composed of the chairman of the six Divisions of Instruction and Dean McClelland as chairman, has been set up.

4. *The Treasurer's Office* is a major and vital one in every college organization, and has become more rather than less so as the complexity of the American financial structure has increased. While the President, backed by the Directors, must inescapably bear the chief administrative responsibility for finances, as for other aspects of the College's life and work, yet the Treasurer and his staff must handle most of the detailed duties and decisions.

Maryville College has had a number of distinguished Treasurers. For the first eighty years the following served as part-time officers without formal salary: James Berry (1819-1833), General William Wallace (1833-1864), John P. Hooke (1865-1884), and Hon. William A. McTeer (1884-1900). Since 1900 the following three men have served as full-time salaried Treasurers of the College: Major Ben Cunningham (1900-1914), Fred Lowry Proffitt (1914-1943), and Paul W. Henry (1948-1953). For the past year Sidney E. Hening, of Virginia, a prominent retired Y.M.C.A. and Church executive, has generously and efficiently served, with but token compensation, as Acting Treasurer. He has continued at our request longer than he desired to do until a new Treasurer should be secured. Elsewhere in this magazine announcement is made of the appointment of Mr. Frank Layman, General Manager of Park Lumber Company, Inc., Maryville, as Treasurer of the College, effective on or before November 1.

5. *Robert J. Maclellan*, a member of our Board of Directors since 1940, died suddenly at his home in Chattanooga on June 7, 1956, at the age of eighty-two. His entire business life had been spent with the Provident Life and Accident Insurance Company of Chattanooga, which had been founded by his father and of which he was for thirty-six years President and for four years Chairman of the Board. Under his leadership the Company developed into one of the strongest of its kind in the nation. Mr. Maclellan, who received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Maryville College in 1955, was a loyal and wise friend and a generous donor who asked always that no publicity be given to his benefactions. Directors of this kind make possible colleges of Maryville's kind.

6. *Foundation Grants.* In July the Ford Foundation sent to all the 615 colleges selected for grants the first installment, approximating one-half of its allocation, and expects to send the balance next summer. We received a check for $80,000 which, in accordance with instructions, has been invested as endowment. The income is designated for increasing teachers' salaries. Obviously this at even the most favorable rate will not do more than "prime the pump."

In July we received also another generous grant of $10,000 for the same purpose from the General Service Foundation, whose office is in St. Paul, Minnesota. It was prompted by a genuine concern for strengthening independent colleges and by interest in Maryville College.

By careful calculation, supplemented by a good deal of faith, we have set up for the current year a teacher salary budget reflecting an over-all increase several times the anticipated income from the two grants, generous as they are. In addition, we have extended the increases to include non-teaching members of the staff. The College's total budget is the largest in our history. To balance it will be a herculean task.

7. *Campus Facilities* are of continuous importance to the effectiveness of the College's services. The Fine Arts Center, Chapel-Theater, and the Heating Plant are invaluable major additions of recent years, representing expenditures of nearly one and a quarter millions of dollars. We hope alumni will not grow weary of our refrain that money is still needed to complete payment on the last two named, or will grow so weary of it that they decide to rise up and pay off the balance. No gift is too large or too small to be needed and welcome. We are moving now toward building the new women's dormitory of which we have long talked but for which we have only about half the needed funds — prices continue to go up and up.

During recent months we have been selling some of our campus land which lies along the public highways and also some of our "over-ripe" trees in the College Woods. With receipts from these various sales we have (a) rewired Pearsons, Carnegie, and Memorial Halls, (b) replaced and increased our kitchen equipment, (c) laid a new floor in the dining hall, (d) installed a filter system, for the first time, at the swimming pool, (e) paved several roads and walks, and (f) installed new lights in the library.

So, at college as elsewhere, we live by things new and old.

Cordially yours,

Ralph Waldo Lloyd

HOMECOMING - OCTOBER 13, 1956

Plans for the annual Homecoming celebration were discussed by the Executive Board of the Alumni Association at the initial fall meeting held in the conference room of the new Samuel Tyndale Wilson Chapel on Tuesday, September 4.

If attendance is any criterion of interest, this promises to be a great year for the Alumni Association. Only *two* members of a potential fourteen were absent, and one of them now lives in Florida! Even Don Briggs, '33, area member from Long Island, was present, but we have to admit that he had an ulterior motive: that of bringing his daughter to Maryville for her freshman year. It was good to have Don present, though, and as a reward, we made him pose for the picture of the officers of the Association.

There was general agreement that there should be an effort to give greater continuity to the Homecoming Day program. The consensus of opinion seemed to be that alumni would make a greater effort to be present for the entire day if a continuous program were planned. So the nearly 12-hour schedule which appears on this page was enthusiastically recommended.

Of particular interest, especially to more recent alumni whose memories of the dining hall are more vivid, will be the Open House in Pearsons from two-thirty until four-thirty. Miss Ware will provide coffee and light refreshment for alumni who return for the occasion. It will be a wonderful opportunity for informal group reunions.

Another innovation will be the alumni luncheon immediately following the Founders Day convocation. Local alumni will be hard at work to ascertain how many plan to be present for the luncheon from the Blount County and Knoxville area. If you live at a distance, won't you please let us know whether you plan to be here so that proper reservations can be made at the restaurants where special accommodations will be provided?

Incidentally, there will be two other features introduced during the Open House period. Arrangements are being made to provide student guides for a tour of the new buildings, a genuine educational feature for alumni who have been away for a long time. And along the same lines, there will be an informal talk by President Lloyd or Dr. McClelland on the general college program and recent developments at the close of the Open House period.

We want at least five hundred to attend the barbecue. Ernie Lowe, '35, is general chairman of arrangements. Serving assignments are under the direction of a committee consisting of Mrs. Edward Lyle, '29; Mrs. L. C. Olin, '20; Miss Inez Burns, '29, and Miss Winifred Painter, '15. Finale for the day's activities will be the pigskin classic with Emory and Henry. You won't want to miss this one, which promises to be a real thriller.

SEE YOU AT HOMECOMING — October 13

Here's the schedule for Homecoming:

9:45 a.m. — Founders Day Convocation.

12:00-1:30 — Alumni Luncheon at a nearby restaurant. Please let us know if you plan to be present.

2:30-4:30 — Alumni Open House in the Dining Hall.

5:30-7:30 — Alumni Barbecue on the athletic field. Committees are already hard at work on this.

8:00 p.m. — Emory and Henry—let's get 'em!

FOUNDERS DAY SPEAKER

The 1956 Founders Day speaker will be Dr. C. E. Brehm, President of the University of Tennessee.

Dr. Brehm's special field is agriculture and rural life, and his outstanding work as Dean of the College of Agriculture at the University of Tennessee led to his appointment as President of the entire University ten years ago.

He is a native of Pennsylvania and a graduate of Pennsylvania State University. He taught on the faculty of Purdue University in Indiana before coming to the University of Tennessee in 1917.

He is prominent in the life of the State and a leader in the United Lutheran Church, being a member of that denomination's Board of Education.

David W. Proffitt, '16, Moderator of General Assembly of Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.

ANOTHER MARYVILLE MODERATOR

David W. Proffitt, '16, long a prominent merchant in the City of Maryville and since 1954 a Director of Maryville College, was in May, 1956, elected Moderator of the 168th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the USA. In 1954 Ralph W. Lloyd, '15, President of the College, was elected Moderator of the 166th General Assembly and served one year, as all Moderators of the General Assembly do.

For another person of the same town (even if it were New York City with its eight million people) to be elected to this office within two years is without precedent in modern times, and is a testimony both to the high regard for Dave Proffitt in the Church at large and to the conviction of the Commissioners that it was time again to have an Elder as Moderator.

This is but the fifth time since 1900 that the Moderator has not been a Minister. Mr. Proffitt was ordained an Elder in New Providence Presbyterian Church, where he has been a lifelong member. His wife, Gray Webb Proffitt, '16, also is an Elder there. In 1951-1952 he was President of the National Council of Presbyterian Men and has been well known and well liked throughout the Church.

He received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Hanover College (Indiana) at its 1956 Commencement, which was held soon after General Assembly. As Moderator he is filling a full schedule of appointments which will take him before Christmas as far as India, Africa, and South America.

GROWTH IN CORPORATE GIVING

Three encouraging current developments in support of private and church-related colleges are the growing consciousness by the churches that these colleges are important, the expanding program of giving to colleges by corporations, and the prominence given to these colleges by philanthropic foundations in the United States.

Maryville College is beginning to benefit by all of these new interests. The growth in corporate giving is encouraging.

The record-breaking gift of the Ford Foundation really was the most dramatic and should be encouraging to other foundations, of which there are a great many in the United States.

Mention has been made by President Lloyd on his page of the gifts from the Ford Foundation and the General Service Foundation. He approached a number of foundations a few months ago asking consideration for the fact that Maryville College's integration policy will probably for a time slacken somewhat ordinary gifts and enrollments from some quarters of the South. Appropriations have been received in this connection as follows: A gift of $1,000 by the Charis Fund, a family benevolent trust fund in Berkeley, California; a gift of $2,000 per year for two years by the Sidney Hillman Foundation, established in 1947 to promote enlightened concepts of race relations, labor-management relations, and world peace.

Maryville College has begun to realize some income for current purposes from gifts made by corporations in Tennessee and elsewhere. Maryville was a charter member of the Affiliated Colleges of the Upper Tennessee Valley which has now enlarged into the Affiliated Independent Colleges of Tennessee.

NEW DIRECTORS

The Synod of Mid-South in June elected the following two new Directors of Maryville College.

Rev. Dr. Harold Gordon Harold, pastor of the Lindsay Memorial Presbyterian Church, Memphis, and a graduate of Maryville College in the Class of 1927. He is a graduate of Princeton Theological Seminary and holds the Ph.D. degree from the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. He held pastorates in Mt. Holly and Newark, New Jersey, and Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, before going to Memphis a few months ago. He is one of the authors of a recent book, "They Seek a Country."

Mr. Edwin Jones Best, of Maryville, a member of the staff of TVA and a graduate of Maryville College in the Class of 1936. Mr. Best has been with the TVA since graduation except for a year in the Harvard University Graduate School of Business and four years in the armed forces during World War II and an additional period during the Korean War. He holds the rank of Major in the U. S. Army Reserves, served as President of the Maryville College Alumni Association in 1954-1955, and is an Elder in New Providence Presbyterian Church.

PRESBYTERIAN SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Announcement was made last fall by the Division of Higher Education of the Board of Christian Education of the Presbyterian Church in the USA of the establishment of fifty scholarships to be awarded to qualified Presbyterian young people entering any of the church-related colleges in the fall of 1956.

Three students who entered Maryville College in September were among the fifty scholarship winners. The successful candidates were as follows: Bryant Lewis Cureton, Washington, New Jersey; David Edward MacLean, Lytton, Iowa; Elizabeth Ann Snelbaker, Pitman, New Jersey.

NEW FACULTY

John R. Cauble, Hickory, North Carolina, Instructor in Drama. He is a graduate in Dramatic Arts of the University of North Carolina and for the past two summers has been technical director of the play, "Wilderness Road," in Berea, Kentucky.

Thomas M. Cragan, Maryville, Instructor in Sociology. Mr. Cragan taught at Maryville College two years ago but was in graduate school last year. He is a graduate of Maryville College in the Class of 1941, holds the Master's degree from the University of Tennessee, and has done considerable work toward his Doctor's degree at New York University. As an extracurricular activity he is assisting Coaches Honaker and Davis with the football team, having been a member of the varsity in student days.

Rev. A. Thomas Horst, Instructor in Religion and Philosophy. Mr. Horst is a graduate of Maryville College in the Class of 1947 and of McCormick Theological Seminary in 1950. Prior to studying for the ministry, he was a bank clerk in New Jersey and holds a Certificate of Proficiency from The Wharton School of Finance at the University of Pennsylvania. During the past two years he has been pastor of the Washington Presbyterian Church north of Knoxville. In addition to teaching certain courses of his own, he is assisting Dr. Orr with the big Ethics class.

Carol Ann Hutton, Greenback, Tennessee, Assistant in the Public Relations and Alumni Office. Miss Hutton is a graduate of Maryville College in the Class of 1956 and holds the B.A. degree.

Mrs. C. M. Kincaid, Maryville, part-time Instructor in Home Economics. Mrs. Kincaid formerly lived in Virginia, holds the B.A. degree from Madison College in Virginia and the Master's degree from Virginia Polytechnic Institute where she has served as a teacher.

Sarah J. Legg, Thomasville, Georgia, Instructor in Greek and Latin. Miss Legg holds the Bachelor's degree from Agnes Scott College and the Master's degree from Indiana University. She is taking the work of Miss Guss who is on Sabbatical Leave.

Gloria Mares, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Instructor in Music. Miss Mares took her musical training in Philadelphia and for several years has served as a music teacher and church organist there.

Robert C. Ramger, Pinellas Park, Florida, Instructor in Biology. Mr. Ramger received the B.S. degree last year at Maryville College, where he was a member of the football, baseball, and track teams as well as a major in Biology.

Dr. Winifred Shannon, Corvallis, Oregon, Instructor in French and German. Miss Shannon holds the B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of Kansas, of which state she is a native, and a Doctor's degree from Columbia University. She was for two years Head of the Modern Language Department, Huntington College (Alabama), after which she served under the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions on the faculties of Beirut College for Women, Lebanon; Sage College for Women, Iran; Ginling College, China; and Isabella Thoburn College, India.

Marilyn Jean Steck, Upper Sandusky, Ohio, Instructor in Home Economics, holds the degree of B.S. in Home Economics from Ohio University at Athens.

BEHIND THE IRON CURTAIN

President Lloyd during the summer attended two meetings behind the "iron curtain" – that of the Central Committee of the World Council of Churches in Hungary and that of the Executive Committee of the World Presbyterian Alliance in Czechoslovakia. Mrs. Lloyd was permitted to accompany him into both countries and they report that the two weeks spent there were safe, interesting, and instructive.

They were in Europe approximately five weeks, crossing the Atlantic both ways by air. Their itinerary took them through Portugal and Spain, where they gave special attention to the difficult Protestant Church situation; Geneva, Switzerland, where Dr. Lloyd was occupied at the ecumenical world offices; Vienna; Budapest and Galyateto, Hungary; Praha (Prague), Czechoslovakia; Germany, where they attended the fabulous Kirchentag, at whose closing service there were present the unbelievable number of six hundred thousand people, and the European Area Council of the World Presbyterian Alliance; and Holland, where they took the airplane for New York.

They met a number of Maryville College alumni in Europe. At Lisbon they were guests in the home of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Michael Testa, '34. Dr. Testa is head of the Protestant Theological Seminary there, and was being sent to Angola, West Africa, to survey the church situation in that Portuguese speaking area. In Madrid the Lloyds saw Joanne Causey, a Maryville College senior who is spending this semester at the University of Madrid with her mother and her father, who is on Sabbatical Leave from Davidson College. In Seville they happened to meet Lois Painter Hamilton, '25, who is a teacher in California and was spending most of the summer in Europe. In Geneva they had dinner with Trudy Singleton, '53, Director of the Marina Neighborhood House in Puerto Rico, who was on vacation in Europe. In Geneva too they had lunch with Rev. Dr. Max Dominice, honorary '54, pastor of one of Geneva's leading Reformed churches, and were guests in the home of Rev. Dr. Marcel Pradevand, honorary '49, whom they saw also in the meetings in Budapest, Prague, and Emden.

Helen Seay Stubblefield, Irvington, New Jersey, Assistant in the Library. Mrs. Stubblefield graduated at Maryville College in 1954 and has since that time served in the office of the Presbyterian Synod of New Jersey and as youth worker in the Presbyterian Church at Irvington, New Jersey. Her husband, Douglas Stubblefield, is a veteran now completing his college course at Maryville.

Mrs. M. B. Tolar, Instructor in Mathematics. Mrs. Tolar, wife of Associate Professor Tolar, is a graduate of Georgetown College, Kentucky, holds the Master's degree from the University of Illinois and has been a member of the faculties at Shurtleff College, Illinois, and Fenn College, Ohio.

Jeanette Wiley, Heiskell, Tennessee, Catalog and Reference Librarian. Miss Wiley graduated at Maryville College in 1953, received her M.A. in Library Science at Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida, and has worked the past two years in the University of Tennessee Library at Knoxville.

THE 1956 COMMENCEMENT

The 137th annual Commencement of Maryville College concluded with the Graduation Exercises on May 23. One hundred and twenty-two seniors, including ten who finished at the end of the first semester, received diplomas. Six more expected to complete their requirements during the summer, making a total of 128 in the Class of 1956. David N. Williams, of Spring City, Tennessee, graduated *magna cum laude*, the first to attain this rank since 1952. A report of the present activities and occupations of the Class is given elsewhere in this issue.

Three honorary degrees were awarded. The Doctor of Laws degree was conferred upon John Robert Stockton, '25, Professor and Director of the Bureau of Business Research, University of Texas. Doctor of Divinity degrees were conferred upon Clifton Earle Moore, '33, Director of the Department of Radio and Television, Presbytery of Los Angeles of the Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A.; and upon Charles Edward Brubaker, '38, Pastor of the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, and Director of the Westminster Foundation at the University of Pennsylvania and for the Philadelphia area, which includes forty other colleges and schools.

Fifty-Year Certificates were awarded to the twelve living members of the Class of 1906. Six members of the Class were present at the Alumni Dinner and four were able to remain for the Commencement Exercises to receive their certificates in person.

The Class of 1906, with twenty-nine members, was the largest class to graduate from the College up to that time and until 1911. The six who were here were:

Maud E. Barnard, who now lives in Maryville, and was formerly a teacher.

Nancy Broady (Mrs. J. H.) Miser, since graduation a prominent citizen in Maryville. She taught in the Maryville schools, organized PTA's and Home Demonstration groups, and was at one time Superintendent of Schools for Blount County. Her husband, now retired, was also in school work. Their son, Joe H. Miser, Jr., graduated in 1941.

THE FIFTY-YEAR CLASS

Picture—From left to right: Mr. Schell, Dr. McCulloch, Miss Smith, Mrs. Miser, and Mrs. Cameron. Not in the picture but also present were Miss Barnard and Mrs. Schell, Mr. Miser, and Mr. Cameron.

Grace Gamble (Mrs. J. S.) Cameron lived for many years in Knoxville and is now living in Dunedin, Florida. Sara Cameron (Mrs. V. A. Ignico), '44, is her daughter.

Ernest Chester McCulloch took his medical training at the University of Cincinnati. Most of his professional life has been spent as physician for Proctor & Gamble at their plant on Staten Island, New York. Four years ago he retired and he and his wife now live in DeLand, Florida.

Frederick F. Schell graduated from seminary in Omaha and held several pastorates in New Jersey. Several years ago he retired and he and Mrs. Schell (Lou Felknor, Prep. '06) are living in Ridgecrest, North Carolina.

Ethel Wheeler Smith now lives in Jonesboro, Tennessee, and takes care of her invalid sister, who was once on the staff at Maryville College. For twenty years Miss Smith taught high school mathematics in Wilmington, North Carolina. She is a leader in her community, especially in the Girl Scouts and in church work.

The other living members of the Class are:

Rev. and Mrs. H. M. Noble (Varina Bayless), now at the Community Presbyterian Church, Oakland, Oregon.

Mrs. E. A. Corderman (Mabel Broady), who lives in Maryville but whose health did not permit her to attend.

Dr. Clarence C. Kochenderfer, retired college professor, now living in Kent, Ohio.

Mrs. Chester T. French (Elizabeth Thomas), who has lived for many years in Albuquerque. Mr. French also attended Maryville College.

William Arthur West, who has lived for many years in Visalia, California.

NEW TREASURER

Mr. Frank Layman, General Manager of Park Lumber Company, Inc., Maryville, Tennessee, has been appointed Treasurer of Maryville College and has indicated his acceptance effective on or before November 1, 1956.

Mr. Layman has been a resident of Maryville for the past six years, the first half of that period as Office Manager for Parkview, Inc., and during the last half as General Manager of Park Lumber Company, Inc.

Mr. Layman, who is now forty-six, was born on the campus of Tulane University in New Orleans where for twenty years his father was purchasing agent and his mother was dietitian. His parents had gone to New Orleans from Tennessee where his father attended Maryville College and his mother Carson-Newman College. When Frank was seventeen, they returned to Jefferson County, Tennessee, and his mother became dietitian at Carson-Newman College where Frank enrolled, although he had previously made his plans to enter Maryville. He graduated at Carson-Newman magna cum laude and entered the service of Blanc and West Lumber Company in Jefferson City, with whom he remained until he came to Maryville. During World War II he served three and a half years in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Layman are members of New Providence Presbyterian Church where Mr. Layman is a Ruling Elder.

THE ALUMNI DINNER

One of the highlights of the Commencement season was the annual Alumni Dinner, held as usual in Pearsons. The largest crowd in many years was in attendance and from all indications, everyone enjoyed himself immensely.

Hugh McDade, manager of public relations at the Aluminum plant in Alcoa, made the principal address, Dave McArthur, retiring alumni president, bowed out in style by presenting a $3,000 check from the Alumni Association to Dr. Lloyd, and a new slate of officers was endorsed.

Dr. William W. Hastings, of the Class of 1886, was present with his wife. Dr. Hastings is one of the two oldest living alumni of Maryville College. W. L. Haley was present, all the way from Seattle, Washington. Six of the twelve known living members of the Class of 1906 were on hand, and their spokesman, Dr. Ernest McCulloch, made a lively speech which was one of the evening's hits.

There was general agreement that it was one of the most successful alumni dinners in a long time. Why not try to make it next spring? The date? May 18. Mark it on your calendar *now*.

Mr. T. I. Stephenson, manager of ALCOA's Tennessee Operations, presents Dr. Hastings, '86, with aluminum memento marking a special significance of the year 1886, the date of Dr. Hastings' graduation and the date when Charles M. Hall developed the process for making aluminum.

PROGRESS REPORT ON THE BUCK-OF-THE-MONTH CLUB

After a year and a half, new members continue to be added to the roster of the Buck-of-the-Month Club at the rate of fifteen or twenty a month. As this is written, more than fifteen hundred have contributed to the project.

During the summer months, when people are busy with vacation plans, the income slumped somewhat. However, the total is now around $18,000 with every likelihood that it will exceed $20,000 by the end of December.

An interesting development of the Buck-of-the-Month Club Program is that it has served as a stimulus to giving for other College purposes. Gifts to the Chapel Fund, the Student-Help Fund, and other worthy projects are frequently included with the regular BOM contribution.

Comparisons may be odious but they can at least be interestin. A coed college in Pennsylvania with an enrollment comparable with that of Maryville College has had a well organized alumni fund drive for the past eighteen years. It took them six years to reach the total which the Buck-of-the-Month Club raised in its first year. Even today, we have nearly half again as many contributors as they had in the year 1955-1956. So we are not doing too badly.

Your gift to the Buck-of-the-Month Club — and your other gifts to Maryville College — make you a shareholder in the greater Maryville College of the future.

ALUMNI CLUBS

News from the alumni clubs has been scant during the past few months, a normal situation during the summer.

From the New York Alumni Club comes the news that the Rev. Andrew Newcomer, '33, of Bloomfield, New Jersey, was elected president for the coming year. Miss Evelyn French, '44, was chosen as secretary-treasurer. Dave McArthur, who was at that time alumni president, spoke to the club and gave a running commentary on slides showing a variety of campus scenes. Incidentally, Andy Newcomer and the New York Club have come up with a unique plan for annual meetings. It will be described in an early Scotty-Gram.

The alumni in Washington, D. C. also met last spring during the week prior to Dave's meeting with the New York Club. Much enthusiasm characterized each of the meetings.

Officers of alumni clubs in cities throughout the United States are requested to keep the Alumni Office informed of meetings, election of officers, and other events that will be of general interest.

Alumni Profile: Lt. Colonel Joseph B. Pate

Colonel Pate, Class of 1904

I was born in Maryville, Tennessee, in 1879 and lived there until I was five, when my parents moved to a farm a few miles south of the city. With few exceptions, the families I knew in those days were headed by veterans or widows of the War Between the States and most of these veterans had served in the Union Army, as the equivalent of more than 30 regiments of East Tennesseans had traveled via the "Underground Railway" until they were across the Ohio River and enlisted in the organized fighting forces of the Union; so, when two or more of these former veterans got together, the subject of the war was soon introduced and generally developed into heated arguments and sometimes fisticuffs. It was in this early environment that I learned from citizen soldiers my first lessons in the organization, training and supply of armies in the field and how they were maneuvered in combat. Though I did not realize it at the time, I was undergoing the basic instruction for my future profession.

My father and the future Dr. Samuel Tyndale Wilson were school mates, and played on the College baseball team, though my father was not graduated. My father was a personal friend and great admirer of Dr. Wilson, as was most everyone who knew him, and through my father I heard much about that great and good man and as I grew older found myself striving to emulate him.

When I entered public school, there were few high schools in East Tennessee. There were none in the rural districts, and few of these latter had classes higher than the 5th grade; so Maryville College filled the gap by operating a preparatory school under its own administration where students from the hinterland could prepare themselves for college – I was one from this latter category.

Food was plentiful and money was very scarce in those days. I had practically no money, so it was in this connection that I met Dr. Wilson in January, 1896, on my first visit to Anderson Hall. I turned over to the Doctor what cash I had and he then gave me an order to the head janitor to enlist me as a classroom sweeper, and later on, in addition to my job as sweeper, I got work on the campus road-building gang – both the sweeping and road building jobs paid the same, 7½ cents an hour.

By working at odd jobs during the summer months and continuing my sweeping and road construction through the school months, I managed to finish high school and the first two years of college. Then Lady Luck, working through my good friend Dr. Wilson, smiled upon me.

I enlisted in the local Militia Company in August of 1899 and in 1900 was elected Second Lieutenant of my Company. I was promoted to Captain and Company Commander in the spring of 1902. About this time a number of college students enlisted in my Company, and through these recruits, interest in military drill began to grow rapidly among the student body, both girls and boys, on the campus. At this juncture, Dr. Wilson called me into his office one day and asked me if I thought The Adjutant General of Tennessee would issue the College sufficient arms and equipment for a company of cadets. I agreed to find out, with the result that we did get the rifles and the Doctor commissioned me as College Commandant of Cadets. The Company was organized with Clinton Gillingham as 1st Sergeant, Fred Hope as Quartermaster Sergeant; Robert O. Franklin, 2nd Lieutenant; Robert H. McCaslin as 1st Lieutenant, and Joseph B. Pate as Captain. Franklin and McCaslin were graduated in the Class of 1903 and Gillingham was promoted to 1st Lieutenant the following year. He relieved me as Commandant when I was graduated in 1904 and when the United States entered World War I in 1917, Gillingham organized a Students Army Training Corps unit at the College. Dr. Wilson showed great interest in the

College Cadet Company, as he was a very patriotic man and a strong believer in the maintenance of a national defense force sufficiently strong to protect our way of life.

After my graduation from Maryville in 1904, I was detailed by President "Teddy" Roosevelt as a student officer at the United States Infantry and Cavalry School at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, from which I was graduated in July, 1906, as one of the only three National Guard officers ever to be graduated from that institution.

Following my graduation from the Infantry and Cavalry School, I was commissioned Lieutenant in the Philippine Constabulary with which I served continuously until the United States declared war against Germany in April of 1917. During the eleven years spent in the Philippines, I had many interesting and exciting experiences. I perfected my knowledge of the Spanish, which I first studied under Dr .Wilson, who was a master of that language; and also acquired a working knowledge of three Philippine Malay dialects: Tagalog, Visayan, and Bicol. I learned much about the Filipino's philosophy of life, their social customs, and strong aspirations for self-government. I served in practically every section of the Archipelago, fought the natives in at least 20 engagements, most of which were on the defensive, and found them to be courageous and sincere in their beliefs. They are devout Christians of the Roman Catholic faith and the most hospitable people I have ever known — I still cherish their friendship.

I entered our National Army in June 1917 as a Major of Infantry and Battalion Commander in a regiment which was sent to France early in 1918 and was integrated as a unit of the 157th Infantry Division of the Fourth French Army, then being re-equipped with French arms and re-trained in French tactics. We served in the trenches for more than three months and participated actively in the Champagne and Argonne offensives, during which we suffered losses in killed and wounded totalling almost 50% of our total combat strength. It was during this period that I learned at first hand how awful is war and now I am convinced that contrary to the belief of many, there is no group of men who hate war more than do the professional soldiers who have participated in it — the last resort after all other honorable peaceful means have failed to settle differences.

Between World Wars I and II, I was graduated from the Command and General Staff School at Ft. Leavenworth and the Army War College in Washington, where an effort was made to teach me the theory of warfare in which I had already had more than my share of practical experience.

During the period of quasi-peace, while both Hitler and Hirohito were perfecting their joint plan to wipe us off the face of the earth and divide it between them, I had some very interesting extra-curricular assignments in Latin America: In 1928, I served as a member of the First American Electoral Mission to Nicaragua under that fine army officer and practical Latin-Americanologist, Major General Frank Ross McCoy, during which I learned many valuable and practical lessons, which I applied later on in solving problems while acting on my own in those countries.

In 1936 I was detailed as Military Attache' and Attache' for Air and accredited to Colombia and Venezuela in South America, Panama and the five Central American Republics.

Last spring, we presented the first of a series by members of the Faculty. Much favorable comment was received concerning Dr. Orr's interesting article. In this issue, we present the first of a series of contributions by alumni, people who have had experiences a bit out of the ordinary. This good reading by Col. Pate signals a new policy which will alternate articles by faculty and alumni. Let us know what you think of the idea.

This was a new experience and the area was too extensive for one individual to cover properly, though I was not hampered too much by instructions from my superiors in Washington as few, if any, of these knew more about the job than I did and few of them had any knowledge of Spanish, so I was permitted to work things out in my own primitive way. The basic rules which I laid down for my guidance in dealing with the Latins were: Frankness and honesty at all times, courtesy and helpfulness and interest in their local problems, without becoming involved in their policies. I found that through this course of action I was able to win their friendship and confidence and that it was easy for me to get the facts about most everything in which my Government was interested. These countries have many problems in health, education, and economics which we can help them to solve and they and the United States have more common interests than we have with any other section of the world — they have the raw materials and we have the factories in which to manufacture them into articles we both need. I finished my tour of duty as Attache' in August of 1941 and within less than one week after reaching Washington, war broke out between Ecuador and Peru over a century-old boundary dispute between these two countries and I was ordered to "go down there and stop the war." I left Washington for Quito, the Capital of Ecuador, within less than 24 hours after receiving my orders. I was told that the countries of Argentina, Brazil, Chile, and the United States had offered their services as mediators in the conflict and

that each of these four countries was to send a group of Army and Navy officers to the war area to constitute a mission of about 40 commissioned officers and that I was to be the senior officer of the joint mission. The first member of the mission to report to me was a Lieutenant Colonel of the Brazilian Army, who joined me at the Washington Airport. He spoke very little English, so he spoke Portuguese to me and I spoke to him in Spanish and we had very little difficulty in understanding each other, as these two languages are quite similar. We transferred to a U. S. Army airplane in Panama, in which we flew to Quito, where the Brazilian and I reported to our respective Ambassadors, after which there was an early meeting of all the Ambassadors of the four mediator countries. These diplomats had failed in their efforts to prevent the war, and now that it was in full blast and the Peruvians had invaded Ecuador and occupied one of its richest provinces, they were quite willing to pass the ball to someone else. They asked me for my plans and I told them that first I wished to hold separate conferences with the commanders of the contending armies, and in order to do this at the earliest possible moment, I wished to call on the Ecuadorean Commander whose headquarters were then at Cuenca, about 200 miles south of Quito. The Brazilian Colonel and a commander of the Argentinian Navy, who had joined us in Quito, flew with me to Cuenca that afternoon, and the three of us called on the Ecuadorean, whose troops were then in full retreat. After some delay in finding a station wagon, we drove to the front, where we procured three riding mules and a muleteer to care for the animals. We then rode across no man's land, carrying a white flag, to the Peruvian front line, from which we were escorted through the stench of unburied bodies that were being picked by buzzards, to the headquarters of the General commanding the victorious Peruvian Army, whom we found to be far less humble and willing to listen to reason than the defeated Ecuadorean Commander. Having visited the Commanders of both armies, we were ready to start bargaining; the first offer of settlement naturally came from the Ecuadoreans and just as naturally was rejected by the Peruvians. I left Washington on August 13th, and on October 2nd, representatives of Ecuador and Peru met with me and the senior officers of each of the four mediator countries in Talara, Peru. After many hours of heated argument, we agreed upon terms of an armistice that would become effective at noon on October 5th. The Peruvians withdrew their troops from the occupied portion of Ecuador, and a joint group of geodetic engineers, composed of Ecuadoreans and Peruvians and specialists from the United States, began the long and difficult survey to delimit the boundary line agreed upon by the two countries.

I was still on duty as Chief of the International Neutral Military Mission with headquarters in Quito, when the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor on 7 December, 1941, and remained there until 15 March, 1942, when I was relieved as Chief of the Mission and transferred to Bogota, Colombia, with instructions to recruit, organize, train and direct an intelligence and counterespionage force of sufficient size to cover German activities in the valleys of the Amazon and Orinoco Rivers and their tributaries. For this job I recruited 453 men and women of many nationalities, including savage Jibaro Indian boatmen in Eastern Ecuador. This was a unique and most interesting project, which tied in closely with our efforts to check the German submarines that were playing such havoc with our shipping in the North Atlantic at that time and to keep abreast with the German air base activities in Dakar, Africa. When the American Army landed in North Africa on the 7th of November, 1942, the need for my Amazon-Orinoco force came to a sudden end, as the German umbilical cord connecting the West coast of Africa and South America had been severed. I was relieved of my duties in Bogota on 6 December 1943, and ordered to duty with the War Department General Staff in Washington until my retirement from active duty on November 30, 1943, after a total of more than 43 years of active military service.

In November of 1944, my old friend, Tiburcio Carias, President of the Republic of Honduras, asked me to serve as a delegate for his country to the International Civil Aviation Conference that was convening in Chicago, Illinois. I accepted this novel appointment and was accepted as a citizen of Honduras throughout the six weeks of this most interesting conference of the representatives of 53 different countries of the world. No one ever inquired about my nationality and I volunteered no information on the subject.

My life has been full and interesting and I have been generously blessed with good health. My Government has dealt fairly with me at all times and has recognized my services with two of its highest military decorations: The Distinguished Service Cross "for extraordinary heroism in military operations against an armed enemy of the United States" in the Champagne Offensive of World War I, and The Distinguished Service Medal "for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished services in the performance of duties of great responsibility as Senior Neutral Military Observer during the settlement of the Peruvian-Ecuadorean boundary dispute from August 1941 to March 1942." The Republic of France and each of the Latin American countries with which I have served have shown their appreciation of my services in the most generous and flattering fashion.

Above all my domestic and foreign citations, the two testimonials I cherish most are: The bachelor's degree awarded me by the faculty of Maryville College, after I finished the prescribed Classical Course with the Class of 1904, and the doctorate of laws conferred upon me by the directors of the College at the end of my active duty career in the Army in 1943.

J. B. Pate
Colonel, U. S. Army, retired

FACULTY NEWS

Miss Elizabeth H. Jackson, Associate Professor of English, received her Ph.D. degree from the University of Colorado in June. Her dissertation is entitled "An Analysis of Certain Colorado *Atlas* Field Records with Regard to Settlement History and Other Factors." She presented in absentia a paper dealing with some of this material before the Rocky Mountain Modern Language Association, at Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Three members of the faculty are on leave this year. Miss Evelyn Guss (Greek and Latin) and Miss Kathryn Martin (French and Spanish) are on Sabbatical Leave, Miss Guss at the University of Michigan and Miss Martin at the University of Madrid. Mr. Robert Lynn (Business Administration and Economics) has received a Ford Foundation Fellowship and is on leave to study at the University of Illinois.

Mr. Harter, Miss Meiselwitz, and Mr. Schwam are back on the campus this year after being away on Sabbatical Leave. Mr. Harter was away the entire year studying at the School of Sacred Music of Union Theological Seminary, New York, and Mrs. Harter, part-time Instructor in Home Economics, who was with him in New York, served on the staff of Miss Margaret Shannon, an Executive Secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions and a Director of Maryville College. Miss Meiselwitz and Mr. Schwam were away for the second semester, Miss Meiselwitz at Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, and Mr. Schwam at Columbia University, New York.

This summer Dr. Queener attended a six-weeks seminar at Case Institute, Cleveland; Mr. Davis attended the TSSAA coaching school; Mr. Bushing studied at Duke, Mr. Hamlett at the University of Mexico, Mr. Johnson at Indiana University, Mr. Tolar at U.T., Miss Walker at North Carolina, Miss Wilkinson at Emory, and Mr. Witherspoon at Illinois.

Dr. Barker taught at Furman University, Mr. Fisher at Carson-Newman College, Dr. Griffitts at Birmingham-Southern, and Mr. Howell at Tennessee Wesleyan.

Other faculty members did interesting and varied kinds of work and many took stimulating trips. Mr. Ainsworth did classified research for a federal agency in Washington; Mr. Beard painted portraits in Gatlinburg; Dr. Buchanan for the eighth consecutive summer served as business manager of a boys' camp in North Carolina and this summer Dr. Briggs joined the camp staff as head counselor; Miss Cartledge and Mrs. Cummings attended the Faculty Christian Fellowship at Montreat and each taught at a conference earlier in the summer, Miss Cartledge at the Florida Synod Youth Conference and Mrs. Cummings at a Missionary Conference in Pennsylvania. Miss Crews was in Maryville for a great deal of the summer teaching in a summer string program at Maryville High School, but in June made a trip to Cuba.

During the vacation of the pastor, Dr. Case preached at the Presbyterian Church in Burley, Idaho, where he began preaching after graduation from seminary. Miss Massey flew to Europe for a month's tour; Dr. Elizabeth Crow Phillips, '28, was a member of the same tour. Miss Davies attended a week's conference in Washington of the forty-eight State Presidents of the American Association of University Women and later in the summer took a vacation trip to Michigan. Miss Johnson spent the summer in Coral Gables, Florida, and several other faculty members took short trips to Florida; Dr. and Mrs. Orr visited the Southwest again; Miss Clemmie Henry, Miss Jackson, Miss Lightfoot, and Miss Hunter took a trip to eight national parks in the United States and Canadian Rockies; Miss Martin and Miss Huddleston visited Virginia and Washington just before Miss Martin sailed for Madrid (she was on the Ile de France the night it picked up the Andrea Doria passengers); the Schoens spent two weeks in Canada; the Honakers were in northern Wisconsin. Mr. Bloy served again as a conductor of American Express tours to western United States and Canada.

President Lloyd has had two recent articles in *Presbyterian Life*, one on the Plan of Union of the Presbyterian Church in the USA and the United Presbyterian Church, and the other on the meeting of the World Presbyterian Alliance Executive Committee in Prague, behind the iron curtain. A recent issue of *Coach and Athlete* contained an illustrated article on "Sequence Wrestling" by Mr. Davis.

Miss Sally Brown was married on June 2 to Stuart P. McNiell, Jr., '50. During the latter part of the summer she served as secretary to Moderator D. W. Proffitt, of Maryville.

William Boyce was born May 24 to Mr. and Mrs. James W. Hampton.

Laura Ann was born September 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Dan H. Kinsinger.

FORMER FACULTY

Miss Anna McMillan married John Wesley on June 9 and is now living in Frankfort, Kentucky.

Mr. Herbert F. Ingle, who worked in the Library from January to September, is doing graduate work in library science at George Peabody College.

Mrs. Otto Pflanze, who taught several German classes last year, spent the summer in Germany with her son Otto, Jr., '40, who is studying there on a Fulbright Scholarship.

Mr. John Griffin, Instructor in Drama last year, is teaching at Austin Peay State College, Clarksville, Tennessee.

Mrs. Robert Stepp, who taught Home Economics here from 1949 to 1956, is this year teaching at Porter High School, in Blount County.

Miss Dean Styles, Instructor in Biology for the past two years, has a fellowship for graduate study at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn.

Miss Amelia Jo Wier, who taught English here when Miss Blair and then Miss Jackson were absent on leave, is this year teaching in the Sevier County High School, near her home.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Fields visited Maryville in September. He was Professor of Psychology at Maryville from 1932 to 1936 and is now on the faculty of the University of Washington, after long service as a psychologist in the Air Force.

THE FEBRUARY MEETINGS

The dates of the February Meetings this year (the 81st Series) are February 6-14, 1957. Alumni everywhere are invited to participate through prayer and encouragement.

The Meetings are always old and always new. Two thirds of the students and nine tenths of the faculty and staff are "old" each year, but the other third and tenth are always new, and in every four years the entire student body changes. Each guest preacher is new to each student generation, although sometimes he has been the Leader in some previous student generation. The song leader and accompanist are usually "old," giving continuity of acquaintance and program. Rev. Dr. Sidney E. Stringham, now pastor of the First Methodist Church, Kennett, Missouri, led the singing thirty different times between 1922 and 1953. Rev. Dr. John Magill, '39, pastor of the Abington Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, will be the song leader this year for the fifth time. Dr. Henry Barraclough, also of Philadelphia, Assistant Stated Clerk of the Presbyterian (USA) General Assembly, will be the accompanist for the sixth time.

The Meetings are now held in the large new Samuel Tyndale Wilson Chapel and from year to year have adopted new ways. But their place in the life of the College and their central emphasis and purpose are the same old ones in every new year.

Sport-Light on the Hill

COACH DAVIS HAS ARTICLE IN SPORT MAGAZINE

Coach John A. Davis, '30, wrestling coach for the past ten years at Maryville College, had an article featured in the May issue of *Coach and Athlete,* a magazine published nationally for use by coaches, trainers, and officials. Under the title Sequence Wrestling, the article discusses in some detail the methods which Coach Davis uses, designed for the college, which, like Maryville, gets few youngsters with wrestling experience and therefore has the added responsibility of keeping techniques simple and effective.

The article is liberally illustrated with photographs of the Maryville "rasslers" in action. Buford Miller, Maryville's star grappler who won the 130 lb. title for three years in succession (the only athlete ever to turn the trick in Southeastern Conference history), and Jerry Waters, 123 lb. winner who has a chance to repeat Buford's performance this season, are shown in action photos, together with Jim Cummings, 137 lb. runner-up, and Don Nabors, 147 lb. runner-up.

Alumni living with driving distance of Maryville are urged to follow the fortunes of Coach Davis' team, which makes a remarkable showing each year against top competition like Auburn, Vanderbilt, Emory, Chattanooga, and others. Just a year ago, the Scotties finished a very respectable second to Auburn in the championships, slipping to fourth last season (largely as a result of some serious football casualties).

FOOTBALL OUTLOOK GOOD

Inexperienced Squad Has Possibilities

The outlook of the 1956 edition of the Highlanders is definitely good: just how good, of course, remains to be seen. There is a sizable squad of nearly fifty men, approximately *half* of whom are freshmen. It is the type of squad which has all kinds of possibilities *if* certain factors work out in the proper combination.

Captain Bud White will open at the fullback post with alternate captain Ted Wilson at left end. Several freshmen have looked good and at least two may start: Ed Smith, 175 pound end from Everett High and 200 pound Verlan Long, a center, from Alcoa.

Big Bill Strickland, 230 of 6'6" tackle, will be playing his last year on the Highlander line and has the Little All-America people looking in his direction already. A native of St. Petersburg, Florida, Bill is being counted upon for yeoman work in the line.

Coach Honaker, starting his 36th year at the helm of the Highlander outfit, feels reasonably optimistic, which should spell trouble for a lot of our opponents this fall. He and Coaches John A. Davis, Ken Shepard, and Tom Cragan, predict that the team will be hard to beat after they get a couple or three games under their very inexperienced belts.

A newcomer, Johnny Phipps, from Alcoa, is showing great promise as a passer, and an aerial attack may be in the making that will provide the kind of thrill that has been lacking for the past year or two.

By game time on October 13, the Homecoming contest with Emory and Henry, the team will have had three games, enough to give them the needed experience. So alumni returning for the celebration should find the contest one of the season's best. Be sure to be there.

The schedule:

Sept. 15 — Morehead State College .....Here
Sept. 22 — Open Date
Sept. 29 — Centre College .....There
Oct. 6 — East Tennessee State College .....There
Oct. 13 — Emory and Henry College .....Here
Oct. 20 — Tennessee Wesleyan College .....There
Oct. 27 — Howard College .....Here
Nov. 3 — Jacksonville State College .....Here
Nov. 10 — Concord State College .....Here
Nov. 17 — Carson-Newman College .....There

Coach Lombe S. Honaker with his coaching staff, planning a strategic gridiron maneuver. Left to right: Tom Cragan, '41; Coach Honaker, Ken Shepard, '54; assistant coach J. A. Davis, '30.

1956 MARYVILLE COLLEGE FOOTBALL SQUAD

Jerry Waters, 123 lb. SEC champion, tries for a pin in practice session with Buford Miller, 130 lb. titlest for three years.

Here and There

1913

Dr. and Mrs Edward G. Seel (Miriam Rood) are living in Youngstown, Ohio. Dr. Seel retired a year ago as president of the Polytechnic Institute in Puerto Rico. Just previous to their leaving both Dr. and Mrs. Seel were awarded honorary degrees. Dr. Seel is currently serving as associate pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Youngstown.

1915

Winifred Painter retired last spring after thirty years of servivce on the staff of New Providence Presbyterian Church in Maryville.

1923

Rev. Roland C. Elzey is now located in Ooltewah, Tennessee.

1924

Rachel Higginbotham Ferguson, who for several years was with the West Virginia State Department of Health, has now joined the staff of North Carolina State College as Nutrition Specialist with the Agricultural Extension Division. Her headquarters are in Raleigh and she travels over the state.

Charlie Partee, superintendent of schools in Brinkley, Arkansas, was the subject of commendation by Senator Tom Allen in a newspaper article recently. "No school system in the state can compare with Brinkley when it comes to the program offered for the dollars spent," wrote Senator Allen.

1925

Myrtle Ardis Groome visited the Alumni Office in July. She was on a vacation trip which included a visit to Hawaii.

Lois Painter Hamilton spent three months in Europe this past summer, visiting twenty countries.

Chaplain (Lt. Col.) Stuart Rohre is now stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas.

1926

Rev. J. Leslie Bell is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Cedarville, Ohio. He was formerly in Oxford, Ohio.

Clyde Lippard was married last April and has moved from Knoxville to Charleston, South Carolina.

1929

Inez Burns is the author of a HISTORY OF BLOUNT COUNTY which has just been published under the co-sponsorship of the Mary Blount Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and the Tennessee Historical Commission.

1930

Dr. Ralph W. Cherry, who for the past two years has been on the faculty of the University of Texas, has recently been made dean of education at the University of Virginia.

Dewey Mann, ex '30, is with the Agricultural Department Experiment Station in Kerrville, Texas.

1932

Sherrill T. Hatcher has recently been promoted to assistant superintendent of the Albron Plant of the Aluminum Company of America in Alcoa.

Lt. Col. Coile A. Quinn is post transportation officer at Fort Monroe, Virginia.

Ruth (Hannah) and Bob Wells, ex '33, have recently moved from Maryville to Beallsville, Ohio. Bob is supervising the building of a large housing project.

1933

Carrie Lou Goddard's picture appears on the cover of the July, 1956, issue of *The Church School*, a publication of the Methodist Church. The magazine also carries a "Salute" to her. Carrie Lou has done extensive writing for children and leaders of children in the church. At the present time she is associate professor of religious education at Scarritt College in Nashille, Tennessee, but she continues to write the primary group graded lessons, and also writes story and text books for use in the church school.

Mary Ella Spencer is now Mrs. William F. Barnett and lives in Jackson, Mississippi.

Rev. William R. Stevenson, pastor of the Twinsburg, Ohio, Congregational Church, was the subject of an article by a feature writer of an Akron, Ohio, newspaper.

Ruth Boyd Sturmfels is doing child welfare work in Kirksville, Missouri.

1934

Kathaleen Carpenter is the new Executive Director of the YWCA in Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Before taking this position she was a member of the Community Division field staff of the National YWCA Board's southern region with headquarters in Atlanta.

1935

Theron and Marie (Bailey) Alexander live in Panama City, Florida. Dr. Alexander is a clinical psychologist and Director of the Bay County Child Guidance Clinic.

Elizabeth Peterson Del Nero of Brazil arrived in the States in August for a short furlough.

Arvilla Miller Golgowski, her husband and son, have recently moved from Brooklyn to Copake, New York, and are now living "in the country, something to which we have long been looking forward."

Herbert and Eleanor (Johnson, '36) Hunt and their children are spending two years in Jamshedpur, India. Herbert is with the .Kaiser Engineers Overseas Corporation.

On August 15, Dr. Leland Shanor became Head of the Department of Biological Sciences at Florida State University, Tallahassee. He was formerly a member of the faculty at the University of Illinois.

1936

Alexander Christie, Presbyterian missionary in the Philippines, arrived in the States in June for a year's furlough.

Dr. Clifford T. Morgan is the author of a textbook, INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY, published in March, 1956, by McGraw-Hill Book Company. Dr. Morgan is professor of psychology at the Johns Hopkins University. He plans to leave the teaching field and devote himself entirely to writing.

Zula Trotter is teaching home economics in the West Palm Beach, Florida, school system.

1937

Dr. Joseph M. Ernest, Jr. assumed his duties on September 1, as academic dean and head of the division of language and literature at William Carey College in Hattiesburg, Mississippi. He had been on the faculty of Mississippi Southern College since 1952.

George C. Kent, Jr. has been promoted to a full professorship at Louisiana State University, where he has been teaching zoology for several years.

Evan Renne resigned as assistant minister of First and Central Presbyterian Churches in Wilmington, Delaware, and in July became pastor of Bethel Preshyterian Church in Kingston, Tennessee.

William M. Carlton, ex '37, visited the Alumni Office in August. Dr. Carlton is a member of the faculty, department of botany, at the University of Georgia.

1938

Nancy Whetstone Allen and her brother Dr. Wendell Whetstone, ex '42, visited the Alumni Office in August. Dr. Whetstone practices in Miami, Florida, and Nancy lives in Kingsport, Tennessee, where her husband, Charles Allen, '36, is pastor of Reedy Creek Presbyterian Church.

1939

Ed Goddard is minister of music at the Ghent Methodist Church in Norfolk, Virginia.

Ellen Sauer, who is associate editor of a publication of the General Electric Company in Cleveland, Ohio, was named Greater Cleveland's Volunteer of the Year for her work with teen-age girls.

Lois Barnwell Straka, her husband and sons, visited the campus in July. They were on a trip to California.

Margaret Chandlee Wells lives in Springton, West Virginia, where her husband is store manager for a large coal company. They have two children, Janet, age nine, and Kenneth, age five.

1940

A new address for Mrs. Daniel Fusfeld (Harriett Miller) is East Lansing, Michigan. She formerly lived in Westbury, New York.

Hope DeButy Marine and her husband are in Sitka, Alaska, where Kenneth is instructor of industrial arts at Sheldon Jackson Junior College, a school sponsored by the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A.

Robert C. Rankin, ex '40, was appointed in April to the position of Designing Engineer for the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad. He lives in Tyler, Texas, which is headquarters of the Cotton Belt system.

1941

Frank Brink, who is chairman of the Speech Department at Anchorage Community College, Alaska, was visiting lecturer in television at the summer session of Montana State University, where Evelyn Seedorf, '30, is assistant professor of speech.

Thomas Cragan received the master of arts degree from the University of Tennessee in August.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wallace Herrick (Viola Chambers, ex '37) are now living in Jackson Heights, New York.

Marion A. Kelly lives in Syracuse, New York, where she is bookkeeper in the office of Bonded Freightways, haulers of petroleum products.

Rollo King received the master's degree in education at the summer commencement of George Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tennessee.

Dr. Willard Klimstra has been associate professor of zoology at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, since 1952. Other responsibilities include being director of the Cooperative Wildlife Research laboratory and consultant with the Illinois Natural History Survey.

Lily Pinneo arrived in the States in May from Nigeria, West Africa, for a furlough from her work as a nurse in the Sudan Interior Mission Hospital.

Major Frederick Rawlings, Jr. is in Germany, serving in the Medical Corps of the United States Army. He was visited in the summer of '55 by his sister, Helen Rawlings Baker, ex '43, who, with her husband, was touring Europe.

Ned H. Sams is a salesman for an Atlanta firm covering the northeastern part of the United States, and he and his family moved last spring from Knoxville, Tennessee, to Middletown, Pennsylvania. Friends were sorry to learn last May of the death of their two-month-old son.

Lt. Col. Douglas Steakley is now stationed in Germany. Helen (Williams, '41) and the children expect to join him soon.

Rev. and Mrs. Roland Tapp (Helen Pratt, '42) are living in Menlo Park, California, where he is assistant minister of the Menlo Park Presbyterian Church.

1942

William B. Rich was awarded the doctor of education degree by the University of Tennessee in August. He is executive secretary of the Tennessee School Boards Association with offices in Nashville. He and his wife (Alma Mason, '41) live in nearby Donelson.

1943

A new address for Charles and Marian (Magill) Foreman is Bellevue, Nebraska. They were in Tampa, Florida.

Dr. Frank William Henderson is now in Lake City, Florida.

On July 31, Ted and Cordelia (Dellinger, '44) Kidder, and son, David, sailed for Japan, where Ted will serve as an associate professor in the International Christian University for a term of three years.

1944

Dexter B. Rice, ex '44, visited the Alumni Office in July. He is pastor of the Congregational Church in Southwick, Massachusetts.

1945

Marion Schneeweiss Ware writes that she has resumed teaching while her husband is taking special training in obstetrics and gynecology.

Rev. James C. Witherspoon is Minister of Christian Education at Glen Avon Presbyterian Church in Duluth, Minnesota.

1946

Peggy Claypoole Grant, ex '46, has recently moved from New Jersey to California. Her husband was transferred to the new E. I. Dupont plant in Antioch. They and their three children reside in Concord, California.

Mrs. Jerome S. Reed (Mary Ella Fletcher, ex '46) is administrative assistant to the vice president of the American Bible Society. Before taking this position she was director of religious programs for radio station WOR in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDaniel, ex '46 (Thelma Richardson, ex '46), are living in Anchorage, Kentucky.

1947

Mac and Betty Lou (King, '46) Purifoy are living in Emory, Virginia, where Mac is on the faculty of Emory and Henry College.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Swartzback (Jane Hays, '45) have recently moved from Cincinnati to Detroit. Ray is pastor of the Calvary Presbyterian Church.

1948

Scott and Margaret (Messer, '45) McClure are living in Cincinnati. Scott is assistant minister of the First United Church.

Shirley Oshana has been Mrs. Richard A. Hall since May, 1955. She is living in Kalamazoo, Michigan, where her husband is employed with an architectural firm, and she is teaching in the elementary schools.

Richard and Alverta (Fink) Smilie have been living in Alexis, Illinois, since May, 1955. Richard is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church there. They and their two children enjoyed a vacation trip to South Dakota, Nebraska and Iowa.

Robert F. Smith was one of twelve persons in the United States to be awarded a faculty fellowship for the Seminar on the Teaching of International Politics held at the University of Iowa, June 13-August 8. The seminar was financed by the Ford Foundation. Dr. Smith is on the faculty of Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas, where he and his wife (Barbara Eggleston, '48) have recently moved into a new home.

1949

Raymond and Ellen (Collins, '50) Brahams are now living in Spokane, Washington, where Raymond has recently taken the position of Public Relations Director at Whitworth College.

Elizabeth McChesney Browne has recently moved to Auburn, Alabama. Her husband completed his Ph.D. in botany at the University of North Carolina in June, and accepted a position as assistant professor in the botany department at Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

William Joseph Elzey is now located in Amonate, Virginia.

Harold Henry is a junior physicist at the Carbide Nuclear Corporation in Oak Ridge.

Fred and Laurie (Dale, '51) Kluth are now living in Birmingham, Alabama.

Anna Katherine Knapp received the M.D. degree from Northwestern University Medical School in June and is now interning at Chicago Wesley Hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. Max Willocks (Neysa Ferguson, '46) have been appointed missionaries to Korea by the Southern Baptist Convention. They will leave the States the latter part of October, and will be in language school in Taejon.

Carl and Sara Jo (Kiger) Wilson have moved from Shawmut, Alabama, to a new pastorate in Piney Flats, Tennessee.

1950

Roger and Dorothy (Holverson) Cowan are living in Greeneville, Tennessee, where Roger is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

Howard Davis received the master of science degree from the University of Tennessee in August. He continues to coach at Everett High School in Blount County.

Earl Winston Henry received the master of science degree from the University of Tennessee in August.

W. Ray Kirby, who is presently teaching in the Winter Haven, Florida, public schools, received the master of education degree from the University of Florida, Gainesville, in August.

Charles Leo Krueger has moved from a pastorate in Cynthiana, Indiana, to one in Coal City, Illinois.

James E. Marvin received the B.D. degree from Louisville Presbyterian Seminary in May. He is now pastor of First Avenue Presbyterian Church in Evansville, Indiana.

Bill and Margaret (Newland) Nish are living in Pullman, Washington, where Bill is doing graduate study at the University of Washington.

Rev. Stuart C. Saul has recently moved from a pastorate in Arlington Heights, Illinois, to that of the First Presbyterian Church in Kewanee, Illinois.

Mrs. Ira R. Smith, Jr. (Katharyn Ernest) is living in Beaumont, Texas, where both she and her husband are employed by Eastern Airlines.

Jack Hancox, ex '50, has recently left the Navy chaplaincy and he and Doris (White, '49) are living in Dayton, Tennessee, where he is pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Elbert Miller (Catherine Barnawell, ex '50) is now living in Washington, D. C.

1951

Chesley and Barbara (Gregory, '54) Anderson are living in Knoxville this year. Chesley is instructor in physical education at the University of Tennessee.

Bill and Irene (Launitz, ex '52) Holt and their two daughters are spending a year in London, England, where Bill is working for an English insurance firm. They will return to their home in Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, next March.

Richard F. Jones is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Bay City, Michigan.

Dick Lane, who was stationed at Fort Bragg, left early in September for Germany. His wife (Jacqueline Lenderman) and son will join him later.

James E. Latham, who was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Monrovia, California, is now serving two churches in Freeport, Pennsylvania.

Janet Cummings Martin is a resident physician in pathology and radiology at Evanston Hospital, Evanston, Illinois.

Louise Lloyd Palm and her husband sailed in September for the Philippines, under appointment by the Board of Foreign Missions, Presbyterian Church, USA. They will be working with students at the University of the Philippines in Los Banos.

John Sayre is presently employed in the office of the American Bridge Corporation and is living at home in New Brighton, Pennsylvania. He spent four years as a chaplain's assistant in the Air Force, the last two stationed in Alaska. After leaving the service in August, 1955, he attended the College-Conservatory of Music in Cincinnati, where he worked toward a master's degree in music research.

Letitia Plowman Scheffey has recently moved from Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, to Tujunga, California.

Mary Fowler, ex '51, who has been Mrs. James A. Zitzman since June, 1952, received her B.A. from Wilson College in 1951, and a master of education degree from the University of Pittsburgh in 1953. She now lives in Kopperston, West Virginia, where her husband is Director of Recreation.

Rowena Mann, ex '51, is now Mrs. Albert Almond and lives in Atlanta, Georgia.

George B. Wood, ex '51, was ordained to the priesthood at the Grace Episcopal Church of Lockport, New York, in May, 1956.

1952

James M. Callaway received the M.D. degree from the University of Tennessee School of Medicine in June and is interning at Duke Hospital, Durham, North Carolina.

Bill Deihl spent the summer in Europe, and this year is at the University of Chicago, on scholarship, beginning work on a doctorate.

Donald Lester Gray received the B.D. degree from San Francisco Theological Seminary in June, and has taken a pastorate in Hot Springs, Montana.

Cora Anthony Herndon has recently moved from Macon to Midland, Georgia.

Thomas P. Kelly is enrolled in the Law School of the University of Michigan.

Janet Kihlgren was commissioned in June by the Central American Mission for service in Guatemala.

Bob and Naomi (Burgos, '54) Lynn are living in Urbana, Illinois, where Bob is working toward a Ph.D. degree at the University of Illinois. He was awarded a Ford Foundation fellowship last spring.

Mary Lois McConnell has recently assumed her duties as Director of Christian Education of the First Methodist Church in LaPorte, Indiana.

Charles and Lois (Deobler, '50) Parvin have recently moved to Chicago, where "Chuck" is on the staff of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE. He was formerly with the MARYVILLE-ALCOA DAILY TIMES.

Since his discharge from the Army a year ago, Neale Pearson has led a busy life in Washington, D. C. He entered Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service, and also took a part-time job as a robo-typist in the office of Senator Edward J. Thye.

Barbara Sandos spent part of the past summer traveling in Europe.

1953

Joe and Carolyn (Marshall, '52) Bender are living in Lenoir City, Tennessee. Since his release from the Marine Corps in August, 1955, he has been working in the Industrial Relations Division of the Oak Ridge National Laboratories.

Ruth Burgos received the M.A. degree from Union Theological Seminary and Columbia University in June. She is now assistant director of the Westminster Foundation at Iowa State College in Ames, Iowa.

Jim and Janice (Eakin, '54) Campbell are living in Maryville. Jim is teaching in the Junior High School.

Homer Garren has been transferred to the Aluminum Company of America's new smelting plant site on the Ohio river east of Evansville, Indiana. He is assistant construction storeskeeper at the new location.

Harold Glad is in the Navy and at present is stationed in French Morocco.

Grace Ann Greenawalt is teaching English at La Progresiva primary school in Cardenas, Cuba, a school operated by the Presbyterian (U.S.A.) Board of National Missions. Grace returned in June from a year's study at the University of Madrid, Spain.

Joyce Kaebnick has been Mrs. Donald E. Warth since August, 1955. She continued her work as Director of Christian Education at the First Presbyterian Church of Oak Park, Illinois, until June of this year, when her husband completed his work at McCormick Seminary and they moved to Evansville, Indiana, where he is assistant minister of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian Church and Joyce is a "full-time housewife."

George M. Roberts was awarded a master's degree at the summer commencement of George Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tennessee.

Hugh Walker received the master's degree in mathematics from Peabody College, Nashville, and this fall is teaching mathematics at Castle Heights Military Academy in Lebanon, Tennessee.

The following members of the class of 1953 were graduated in the spring from Presbyterian seminaries. They are listed by seminaries together with the places where they are now located.

Louisville Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky
- Vernon C. Bowman — Lawson, Missouri
- George C. Carpenter — Briargate Church, Louisville, Ky.

Lincoln Seminary, Pennsylvania
- Galen Work — Whitesville, West Virginia

McCormick Seminary, Chicago
- Robert A. Coles — Homer City, Pennsylvania
- Charles F. LaRue — Navy Chaplaincy

Princeton Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey
- Paul Maier — Princeton Seminary
- Bruce R. Miller — Churchville, Maryland
- Shirley Posthlewaite Bird — Princeton, New Jersey
- Charles E. Reid — Doak-Balch Larger Parish, Greeneville, Tennessee

Western Seminary, Pittsburgh
- Richard Nystrom — Assistant pastor, Calvary Church, Canton, Ohio

1954

Bill and Wilma (Trumbull) Baldwin are now living in Omaha, Nebraska. Bill completed his term of service in the Marine Corps in the early summer and took a position as Youth Physical Director in the Omaha YMCA.

Annie Laurie Cureton was graduated in May from the Assembly's Training School, Richmond, Virginia, and is now a Director of Christian Education in Hyattsville, Maryland.

Lora Kinsinger was graduated in May from the Assembly's Training School, Richmond, Virginia, and is working as Director of Christian Education and music in a church in Covington, Virginia.

Donald Moffett is moderator of the student body for 1956-57 at the Louisville Presbyterian Seminary.

Dean Styles is doing graduate study in biology at Alabama Polytechnic Institute in Auburn, where she has a fellowship.

Ann Yoakum received the master of science degree in chemistry at the University of Florida in June. She is now employed at the Greenback Industries in Greenback, Tennessee.

Jim Wiley, ex '54, entered the Navy Dental Detachment at Parris Island, South Carolina, in August.

1955

Alice Marie Buchanan, who was working in a hospital in Portland, Oregon, is now a therapeutic dietitian at the Presbyterian Hospital in Pittsburgh.

Emma Curtis received the master of science degree from the University of Tennessee in August. She is in Germany now, doing recreational work for the American Red Cross.

Bill and Sally (Butts) Davis are living in North Arlington, New Jersey. Bill is in the business offices of Acme Stores.

Joan Herschelman is teaching in Atlanta, Georgia, this year.

Walter F. Hiller received the master of business administration degree from Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, in June. He then accepted a job as an accounting and finance trainee with the General Electric Company. He is currently assigned to Bridgeport, Connecticut, where he will be for the three year training program.

Ronald Jennings is in service and at present is stationed in Italy.

Jack Keny is teaching and coaching at the Harriman, Tennessee, High School.

Lyn Kiefer began a new job on September 15, as Director of Christian Education of the Presbyterian Church in State College, Pennsylvania.

Robert Nier is employed at the Gaseous Diffusion Plant of Union Carbide Nuclear Company in Oak Ridge.

Mary Ann Thompson received the master of science degree from the University of Tennessee in August. She is teaching physical education in the high school in Stratford, Connecticut.

Shirley Axley Young is working in the library at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, where her husband is in medical school.

Jack C. Barber, ex '55, wrote us in June shortly after he arrived in Germany. He had "run into" two other Maryvillians, George Caldwell, '54, and Don Young, '54.

1957

Jean Boyd Williams, ex '57, is attending San Jose State College in California.

Joe Stater, ex '57, is attending the School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University in Washington, D. C.

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(*See also Marriages*)

Don Adams — Teaching ninth grade mathematics at Everett High School in Maryville.

Mary Katherine Alison — Elementary physical education consultant in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Forrest Amidon — Student at Louisville Presbyterian Seminary.

John V. Barrows, Jr. — Working on master's degree in zoology at the University of Georgia.

Nita Ann Baylor — Teaching fourth grade in North Godwin School, Godwin Heights, Michigan.

Barbara Belmore — Attending Assembly's Training School, Richmond, Virginia, for a master's degree in Bible.

Barbara Berger — Teaching second grade in Puente, California, a suburb of Los Angeles.

Morgan Biggs — Teaching at Everett High School in Maryville.

Margaret Blackburn White — Secretary at Union Theological Seminary in New York.

John Borter — Attending Western Theological Seminary in Pittsburgh.

Mary Alice Brasfield Wheatley — At Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia.

William Brickey — Teaching at Townsend High School in Blount County.

Jo Ann Brooks Raulerson — Teaching in Hernando High School, Brooksville, Florida.

Tom Bugenhagen — Doing graduate study in mathematics at the University of Tennessee.

Carolyn Carter Hassall — Teaching first grade in Louisville, Kentucky.

Ethelyn Cathey — Doing secretarial work in the Office of Student Work, Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., in New York.

Barbara Cech Fisher — Doing secretarial work at Union Seminary in New York.

Mary Carol Coker — Doing home mission work in Wheelwright, Kentucky.

Susan Diane Cook — Teen-age program director for the Bristol, Tennessee-Virginia, YWCA.

James L. Crawford — In Navy Officers Candidate School—expects to graduate in October.

Winfred Cruze — Teaching in Knoxville.

James Cummings — Expects to enter the Navy soon.

Charles Cureton — Attending Lafayette College in Easton, Pennsylvania.

Betty Lou Cutler — Teaching home economics at Union High School in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Sara Min Davis Rogers — Teaching eighth grade at East Side Junior High School in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Yvonne Dickson — Medical Technician at Blount Memorial Hospital in Maryville.

Nancy Lou Dodge — Dietetic internship at the Veterans' Administration Hospital in the Bronx, New York.

Gavin Douglas — Studying at Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Virginia.

Charles D. Dunn — Junior Varsity head coach at Chamberlain High School in Tampa, Florida.

Bettie Carroll Elwood — Minister's wife in Maryville.

Elizabeth Enloe — Director of Christian Education at Capitol View Presbyterian Church in Atlanta, Georgia.

Donald Ford — Will enter the University of Tennessee Medical School in January, 1957.

Lee Fowler — Dietetic intern at The Christ Hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Norma Jean Franklin — Teaching fourth grade at Chippewa Consolidated School in Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania.

Elizabeth Frei — Working in the advertising department at Miller's in Knoxville.

Kathryn Garrison — Director of Christian Education at Central Presbyterian Church in Huntsville, Alabama.

Billy Jack Gilbert — Teaching at the Maryville Junior High School.

Myrna Ginaven — Taking additional courses in music at Maryville College.

Doris Glad Stater — Living in Washington, D. C., where Joe is attending the School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University.

Freeland T. Godfrey — Coach at Townsend High School in Blount County.

Leroy Gooden — Coach at Walland High School in Blount County.

John Graulich — Doing graduate study in English at the University of Tennessee.

John E. D. Graves — Working for the Chemstrand Corporation in Pensacola, Florida.

Edwin Grigsby — Attending Louisville Presbyterian Seminary.

Floyd Hamilton — Working for the Commercial Credit Company in Knoxville.

Margaret Allen Hanna — Attending the University of Chicago Graduate School, working on a master's degree in sociology.

Bettye Harrill Spurling — Teaching mathematics and general science at the high school in Clinton, Tennessee.

James W. Hedden — Will enter the University of Tennessee Medical School in January.

Pauline H. Hicks — Teaching in Alcoa city schools.

Ruth Hinson — Teaching fourth grade in St. Augustine, Florida.

Elizabeth Hoaster — Working for the Pennsylvania Treasury Bureau in Harrisburg.

Richard C. Hughes — Working for the General Chemical Company in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Carol Ann Hutton — Secretary in the Public Relations Office at Maryville College.

Martha Jackson McCutchen — Working for a master's degree at the Assembly's Training School in Richmond, Virginia; also keeping house.

Harold Jones — Working for Provident Life and Accident Insurance Company in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Katherine Kerns — Teaching fifth grade at Harris School in St. Petersburg, Florida.

James Laster — Taking music at Maryville College.

Mary Lee — Working on a master's degree in English at the University of Tennessee.

Robert Leech — In the Navy.

Esther Lerch Williams — Research assistant in the Biology Department at Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia.

Nancy McCammon — Teaching first grade at Upson Elementary School in Euclid, Ohio.

Charles McFarland — Working with Zack Rogers Association, Inc., dealers in orthopedic equipment.

Robert McKean — With Provident Life and Accident Insurance Company in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Elizabeth McKenney — Home Service representative for the People's Natural Gas Company in Beaver, Pennsylvania.

Lynn McMillan Van Pelt — Working in Gainesville, Florida.

William Benford Miller — Working at the Aluminum Company in Alcoa.

Bobby Mize — Attending Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky.

Don Moore — Teaching at Friendsville High School, in Blount County.

Roberta Myers — Teaching at Everett High School in Maryville.

Ruth Nelson — Working for the Atlanta Gaslight Company in Macon, Georgia.

Faith Nollner — Fellowship student at Vanderbilt University, working toward a master's degree.

LeRoy Painter — Working at the Aluminum Company in Alcoa.

Iantha Peterson Kunen — Working for the Educational Testing Service in Princeton, New Jersey.

Margaret Potts — Working for the Synod of Ohio, Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., in Waverly, Ohio.

Robert Ramger — Instructor in biology at Maryville College.

Ernest Raulerson — Assistant coach at Hernando High School in Brooksville, Florida.

John Renfro — Working for the Aluminum Company at Alcoa.

Charles Rogers — Attending the University of Arkansas Medical School.

Alice Rowe — Attending the University of Tennessee School of Social Work in Nashville.

Doris Scott — Teaching second grade at Wrightsboro School in Wilmington, North Carolina.

Lynn Sexton — In the Army.

Edgar Shackelford — Attending Union Seminary in Richmond, Virginia.

Carol Sleight — Working for the Public Welfare Department, Miami, Florida.

Guy Sneed — Underwriter for Provident Insurance Company, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Jacqueline Speigner — Teaching public school music in the Jim Allen Elementary School in Pensacola, Florida.

Donald Thiel — Attending Western Theological Seminary in Pittsburgh.

Lois Tinklenberg — Dietetic internship at the Veterans' Administration Hospital in the Bronx, New York.

Robert Torrance — Working for the American Stores Company.

Madlon Travis — Teaching fifth grade in Wooster, Ohio.

Gordon Van Pelt — Doing graduate work at the University of Florida, in Gainesville.

William Van Zant — Attending Louisville Presbyterian Seminary.

Maryel Vogel — Back at Maryville College to get a B.S. in Education.

Grace Benham Webb — Army housewife in Tacoma, Washington.

William C. Wheatley — Studying hospital administration at Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia.

Charles Williams — Doing graduate study at the College of Law, University of Florida in Gainesville.

David N. Williams — Research physicist for Lockheed Missile Systems Division and also studying at the University of California in Berkeley for a master's degree in physics.

Marcia Williams — Director of Christian Education at Northside Presbyterian Church in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Delores Woods — Assistant program director of young adult activities at the Northern Branch of the Detroit, Michigan, YWCA.

William C. Young — Attending the Vanderbilt Medical School in Nashville, Tennessee.

MARRIAGES

Janet Crane Talmage, '38, to Dr. Frank Goulding Keller, April 25, 1956, in Chonju, Korea.

Melba Holder, '46, to Kenneth Kabelke, May 26, 1956, in Andrews, North Carolina.

Frances Ashby, '47, to John Walter Wright, April 14, 1956, in Lexington, Virginia.

Charles Duckett, '50, to Flossie Herring, December 29, 1955, in Elsberry, Missouri.

Ruth Nicholas, '51, to Robert Schwarzenberg, June 16, 1956.

George D. Howell, Jr., '52, to Doris Loretta Rogers, May 4, 1956, at Oak Ridge.

Roy Don Brakebill, '53, to Patricia Reneau, June 22, 1956, in Maryville.

Sarah H. Brown, '53, to Stuart P. McNiell, Jr., '50, June 2, 1956, in Laurel, Maryland.

Barbara Ann Miller, '53, to Samuel Stone Wilson, June 16, 1956, in West Chester, Pennsylvania.

Barbara E. Rogers, '53, to Charles Alan Greenly, June 30, 1956, in Reading, Pennsylvania.

David F. Gates, '54, to Martha Anne Copeland, July 21, 1956, in College Park, Maryland.

Helen Seay, '54, to Douglas Stubblefield, '58, June 30, 1956, in Irvington, New Jersey.

Sally Butts, '55, to William F. Davis, Jr., '55, July 7, 1956, in Waterloo, Iowa.

Abby Crosby, '55, to Robert E. McKean, '56, September 1, 1956, in Columbia City, Indiana.

Donna French, '55, to Robert W. Neel, May 30, 1956, in Ketchikan, Alaska.

Harry F. MacCall, III, '55, to Mary Lou Jones, June 22, 1956, in Louisville, Kentucky.

Jean Esther Morgan, '55, to 2nd Lieutenant Hal Herman Roesler, June 3, 1956, in Mathiston, Mississippi.

Libby Ann Parrish, '55, to Richard Erickson, '54, June 23, 1956, in Jefferson City, Tennessee.

Mary Alice Kemp, ex '55, to Rev. William Frederick Henning, Jr., August 29, 1956, in Ackworth, Georgia.

Margaret Blackburn, '56, to Herbert D. White, '55, December 28, 1955, in Knoxville.

Mary Alice Brasfield, '56, to William C. Wheatley, Jr., '56, August 29, 1956, in Butler, Missouri.

Jo Ann Brooks, '56, to Ernest D. Raulerson, Jr., '56, July 28, 1956, in Louisville, Kentucky.

Tom Bugenhagen, '56, to Katherine Leeth, '57, May 25, 1956, in Lebanon, Tennessee.

Carolyn Carter, '56, to Harry Hassall, '55, December 27, 1955, in Madison, Tennessee.

Barbara Cech, '56, to James C. Fisher, '55, August 18, 1956, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Winfred R. Cruze, '56, to Elizabeth Bixler, '59, August 4, 1956, in Kennett, Missouri.

Sara Min Davis, '56, to Charles C. Rogers, '56, May 23, 1956, in Maryville.

Doris Glad, '56, to Joseph Stater, ex '57, May 26, 1956.

Bettye Harrill, '56, to Richard Spurling, August 17, 1956, in Madisonville, Tennessee.

Martha Jackson, '56, to Leighton McCutchen, Jr., May 26, 1956, in Nashville, Tennessee.

Esther Lerch, '56, to Donald Williams, '55, June 12, 1956, in Clearwater, Florida.

Lillian B. McMillan, '56, to Gordon Van Pelt, '56, August 25, 1956, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

William Beuford Miller, '56, to Marian Keyes, ex '58, June 25, 1956, in Maryville.

Charles LeRoy Painter, '56, to Carolyn Lovin, August 10, 1956, in Maryville.

Iantha Jean Peterson, '56, to Adolph William Kunen, '54, June 9, 1956, in Greenback, Tennessee.

John Anderson Renfro, '56, to Delores Anne Rogers, June 4, 1956, in Maryville.

David N. Williams, '56, to Jean Boyd, ex '57, June 2, 1956, in Erie, Pennsylvania.

Sandra Rose Motsinger, ex '56, to Joel Linwood Jones, June 9, 1956, in Taylorsville, North Carolina.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Crego, '38, their fifth child, a son, Joseph David, February 20, 1956.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Smith, '39, their third child, a son, Miller Holland, April 28, 1956.

Capt. and Mrs. J. N. Badgett, '40, their third child, a son, Timothy Clark, May 14, 1956.

Dr. and Mrs. Otto Pflanze, '40, their second child, a son, May 25, 1956, in Hamburg, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nicely, '41, their third child, a son, Robert Moore, April 22, 1956.

Major and Mrs. Frederick Rawlings, '41, a son, Lee Fox, May 3, 1956, in Germany.

Dr. and Mrs. David M. Hall, '42, their third child, a daughter, Kathleen Lytle, April 27, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Post (Katherine Gardner, ex '42), their fifth child, a son, Mark Thomas, March 25, 1956.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl Alette, '43 (Florence Barber, '42), their second child, a daughter, Carol Margaret, July 13, 1956.

Rev. and Mrs. Hal B. Lloyd, '43, their third child, a son, Peter McDonald, July 14, 1956.

Dr. and Mrs. William J. Sweeney, '43 (Viola James, ex '43), their third child, a son, James Howard, April 5, 1956.

Rev. and Mrs. Donald Barker, '44 (Eleanor Stout, '46), their third child, a son, Philip Donald, August 8, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Ignico (Sara Cameron '44), a daughter, Arlene Ann, January 28, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richmond (Aimee Wriggins, '44), their third child, a daughter, Eileen Claire, June 21, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Regenbrecht (Rose Wells, '45), their first child, a son, Charles Alan, April 15, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roberts (Louise Henry, '45), their second child, a daughter, Olivia Jeanne, April 6, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Rosenfeld (Ethel Beall, '45), their fifth child, a son, George David, May 27, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shue, '46 (Elizabeth Snead, '40), their second child, a son, John Lloyd, March 2, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Beals, Jr. (Catherine Stout, '47), their first child, a son, Joe Duncan, III, May 15, 1956.

Rev. and Mrs. Frederick R. Wilson, '47 (Elizabeth Saint, '48), a daughter, Rebecca Elizabeth, March 25, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Moroney (Helen Wilhoit, ex '47), their second child, a son, James McQueen, III, September 4, 1956.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles B. Hoglan, Jr., '48 (Ruth Duggan, '42), their third child, a son, Charles B., III, March 26, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Frost, '49, their third child, a son, Peter Manwaring, July 23, 1956.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert C. Lodwick (Hedy Nabholz, '49), their second child, a daughter, Marian Isabel, February 1, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Torrey, '49 (Marilyn Hartpence, '48), their third child, a daughter, Jennifer Dawn, August 15, 1955.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl Wilson, '49 (Sara Jo Kiger, '49), their third child, a son, Stephen Carl, February 23, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cornett (Betty Crawford, '50), their second child, a daughter, Susan Erma, June 12, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Kay, '50 (Janice Landstrom, ex '51), twin daughters, Jennefer Lou and Jill Louise, April 17, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stephens (Sarah Durant, '50), their second child, a daughter, Martha Leah, April 28, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Barnes (Sarah Vawter, ex '50), their third child, a daughter, Margaret Susan, April 21, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. James Householder, ex '50 (Julia Pancoast, '48), their second child, a daughter, Jama Gail, April 6, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Kelley, ex '50 (Ruth Case, '44), their third child, a son, Robert William, August 30, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kribbs, ex '50, their third child, a daughter, Kimberly Denise, May 29, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Campbell, '51, their first child, a daughter, Geraldine Morrison, in August, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce de Nagy, '51 (Doris Holt, '53), their second child, a daughter, Carolyn Anne, June 11, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kidder, '51 (Patricia Lewis, '53), their first child, a daughter, Carolyn Lewis, August 18, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Lester, '51 (Alice Huddleston, '51), their second child, a daughter, Lydia Ann, June 27, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Moser (Phyllis Jackson, '51), their second child, a son, Scott Cummings, June 21, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Zitzman (Mary Fowler, ex '51), their first child, a son, James Albert, Jr., December 1, 1955.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Lynn, '52 (Naomi Burgos, '54), their first child, a daughter, Mary Louise, May 8, 1956.

Rev. and Mrs. Donald Stilwell, '52 (Helen Sims, '52), their second child, a son, Brian David, August 21, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Galey (Jeannette Whitaker, '53), their first child, a daughter, Karen Frances, April 18, 1956.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Reid, '53 (Ruth Cross, '53), their first child, a son, Stuart Andrew, August 22, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dixon, ex '53 (Dorothy Stater, '50), a son, Joseph Stater, May 12, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Abbott, '54 (Margaret Evans, '54), their first child, a daughter, Nancy Elizabeth, July 5, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wiley, ex '54 (Betty Hammers, '53), their first child, a daughter, Karen Lea, July 20, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Blair, '55, their second child, a son, William Wade, June 7, 1956, in Bordeaux, France.

Mr. and Mrs. Snell A. Mills, Jr., '55 (Olivia Vawter, '55), their first child, a daughter, Sharon Louise, July 20, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. William Yoast (Betty Watson, '55), their first child, a daughter, Mildred Angela, August 19, 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew G. Chambers, Jr., '56, their first child, a son, Stephen Scott, August 21, 1956.

PRESBYTERIAN LIFE FEATURES LLOYD ARTICLES

In the September 29 issue of *Presbyterian Life* there is an article by Dr. Ralph W. Lloyd, President of Maryville College, entitled "Presbyterians in Prague." This article deals with a meeting in August of the Executive Committee of the World Presbyterian Alliance held behind the Iron Curtain in Prague, Czechoslovakia. Dr. Lloyd reports on the situation in Czechoslovakia, the discussions in the meetings, and his impressions of the place of the Christian church under Communist rule. Accompanying the article is a picture of Dr. Lloyd in conversation at Prague with Dr. A. C. Watson of Australia, one of the Vice Presidents of the World Presbyterian Alliance.

An article by Dr. Lloyd appeared also in *Presbyterian Life* for September 15 entitled "Twenty Questions on Presbyterian Union." Dr. Lloyd gives answers to twenty of the questions most frequently asked now about the Plan of Union on which presbyteries are now voting in both the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., and the United Presbyterian Church.

MC FILM SOCIETY ORGANIZED

The Maryville College Playhouse Film Society has been organized by the Maryville College Playhouse. The purpose of the society is to bring to the College campus good films of a sort not usually shown in this area.

Six films are anticipated for this year including Early American film classics, British and foreign language films. The schedule is not complete at this time so definite announcements cannot be made, however, the showings will usually be on a Friday or Saturday evening.

Membership in the film society is open to anyone in the community as well as the student body and faculty of the College. Memberships for one year are one dollar and fifty cents and will admit the member to the viewing of any five of the six films in the series. Individual admissions will be sold if there is space available.

DEATHS

William Edwin Minnis, '90, died May 9, 1956, at his home in New Market, Tennessee. Mr. Minnis served as a director of the College from 1913-1950. He is survived by a brother, Samuel P. Minnis, '94, and two sisters, Ethel, '00, and India Minnis.

Samuel Ward Boardman, Jr., '94, died July 5, 1956, at his home in Clayton, New Jersey. He was eighty-one years of age. After his retirement from his profession of law in 1951, he remained active in civic affairs, and did some writing, even though he had lost his eyesight. Mr. Boardman was the son of the fourth president of Maryville College. He is survived by his wife, five daughters, one son, a brother, Roger Sherman, '96, and a sister, Martha, ex '03.

Andrew R. McMurry, Prep. '99, died September 5, 1956, at his home in Knoxville. He was eighty-two years of age. Mr. McMurry was president of the A. R. McMurry Construction Company, commercial, industrial, and residential builders. He is survived by his wife, a sister, Mrs. O. B. Andrews, and a brother, Ben F. McMurry, who also attended Maryville College.

Carrie Arstingstall (Mrs. Isaac W.) Jones, ex '03, died in June, 1956.

Dr. Henry J. Bassett, '04, died August 20, 1956, at his home in Maryville, after a long illness. Dr. Bassett was a professor of classical languages and related subjects, having begun his teaching career at Maryville in 1905 where he remained for fifteen years. Later he taught at Evansville College in Indiana and at Southwestern University in Memphis, where he was when he retired in 1945. He is survived by two sisters, Miss Emma Bassett and Miss Almira Bassett, '09, also a former member of the College faculty.

Lloyd E. Foster, '07, died suddenly on May 2, 1956, of a heart attack, while attending a service at the Sixth Avenue Presbyterian Church in Birmingham, Alabama. Mr. Foster had served as executive vice-president of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce for twenty years before his retirement two years ago. Since that time he had been a consultant in the Chamber of Commerce division of National Fund Raising Services, Inc. A tribute to him was carried in the June issue of *Southern Executive,* a bulletin of the Southern Chamber of Commerce Executives. He is survived by his wife (Minnie McGinley, ex '08), a son and a daughter.

Hunley Roy Easterly, '08, died July 21, 1956, at his home in Lake City, Tennessee.

Joseph Marshall Rankin, '11, died June 9, 1956, at his home in Caldwell, Idaho. Mr. Rankin had been professor of science and mathematics at the College of Idaho for the past forty years. He is survived by his wife, a son, and six sisters, one of whom is Miss Roberta Rankin, Prep. '04.

Celia Rough (Mrs. Walter) Wrinkle, ex '17, died July 13, 1956, at her home in Maryville. Mrs. Wrinkle had retired in 1953, because of ill health, after thirty-nine years of service in the Treasurer's Office at the College. She is survived by her husband and a sister.

Deck C. Williams, '18, died July 11, 1956, in Blount Memorial Hospital in Maryville. Mr. Williams had been a teacher for most of the years since his graduation from college. He had made his home in Maryville since 1953. He is survived by his wife (Zeora Brocklehurst, '18), a son and a daughter.

THE 1956-1957 ARTISTS SERIES

Announcement has been made by Harry Harter, chairman of the 1956-1957 Maryville College - Community Artists Series, of the four major concerts which will be presented in the auditorium of the Samuel Tyndale Wilson Chapel during the coming season.

Inaugurating the series will be the Fine Arts String Quartet on Friday, October 26. This outstanding musical group hails from New York City and has won wide recognition for their superior performances. The second offering of the season will be of a different nature, with a unique presentation by TV and motion picture star Arthur Treacher titled "A Little of This . . . Something of That . . . Mostly Humor." Treacher will appear in Maryville on Friday, November 16.

The Roger Wagner Chorale, an internationally famous group of thirty singers and instrumentalists, will give a concert on Monday, February 18. The final series offering will be a piano recital on Monday, April 8, by David Bar-illan, brilliant young Israeli artist who is acclaimed as one of the most promising pianists of our generation.

Individual tickets for the series may be purchased at $2.00 each: a season ticket costs $5.00. All tickets will go on sale on Tuesday, October 9, with Miss Kathleen Craven in charge of ticket sales. Tickets may also be purchased in the College treasurer's office, or reservations may be made by calling the Fine Arts Center.

We would like to remind you that it takes about four weeks from the time material is assembled until it is printed and distributed to alumni. If you don't see an item you sent in, therefore, it is probably because it was received too late for use in this issue.

DR. McCLELLAND CITED FOR LEADERSHIP

Dr. Frank D. McClelland, dean of students, recently received the Citation Award from the National Recreation Association Council in New York for his "outstanding contribution" to public recreation in Blount County. Five such awards were made to men in Tennessee, all of whom are private citizens not employed in recreation work.

Dr. McClelland conceived the idea of organizing and consolidating the Maryville, Alcoa, and Blount County recreation facilities into a single program. The Blount Consolidated Recreation Council is the only one in the United States which combines two cities and a county in this manner.